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NEWS RELEASE

Four defendants were charged today by Indictment¹ on charges that they made and passed counterfeit United States currency in twenty dollar and ten dollar denominations between on or about December 4, 2009 and on or about December 7, 2009 in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania announced United States Attorney Michael L. Levy.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Edward Casigne	New Haven, CT	25
Jesse Velez	Wallingford, CT	20
Scott Bolden	New Haven, CT	27
Avery Fitzpatrick	New Haven, CT	20

If convicted each of the defendants face a maximum possible sentence of 45 years imprisonment, five years of supervised release, a \$750,000 fine, a \$300 special assessment, restitution, and forfeiture.

The case was investigated by the United States Secret Service and the Bensalem Township Police Department and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Ewald Zittlau.

¹An Indictment or Information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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